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PRESIDENT DOWN SOUTH

Speeches in Alabama and in Georgia.

SPEECH TO COLORED STUDENTS

An Appeal to Many All Past Differences.

AT THE ATLANTA BANQUET

TUSKEGEE, Ala., Dec. 16.—President McKinley reached here from Atlanta this morning and this forenoon delivered a notable address before the students of Booker T. Washington's normal school for colored people. He warmly praised Prof. Washington for his great work among the people of his race and urged the students to push on to honorable careers. Governor Johnston introduced the president. Speeches were also made by Gen. Wheeler and Prof. Washington.

President McKinley, in his response to the toast "Our Country" at the Kimball house banquet, Atlanta, last night, said of fraternal feeling: "The nation has been at war, not within its own shores but with foreign power, and the war was waged not for revenge or aggrandizement, but for our oppressed neighbors, for their freedom and amelioration. It was short, but decisive. It recorded a succession of significant victories on land and sea. It gave new honors to American arms. It has brought new problems to the republic, whose solution will tax the genius of our people. United we will meet and solve them with honor to ourselves and to the lasting benefit of all concerned. The war brought us together, its settlement will keep us together, reunited a glorious realization. It expresses the thought of my mind and the long deferred consummation of my heart's desire as I stand in this presence. It interprets the hearty demonstration here witnessed and is the patriotic refrain of all sections and of all lovers of the republic. Reunited, one country again and one country forever. Proclaim it from press and pulpit. Teach it in schools. Write it across skies. The world sees and feels it. It cheers every heart, north and south, and brightens the life of every American home. Let nothing ever strain it again. At peace with all the world and with each other, what can stand in the pathway of our progress and prosperity?"

DEATH WARRANT ISSUED

For Execution of Bob Banks at Mayfield in February.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 16.—The governor has fixed Thursday, February 23, 1899, as the date of the execution of Bob Banks, of Mayfield, and issued the death warrant to the sheriff of Graves county to take this condemned negro from the Louisville jail to that place for the execution.

The Pells as Pilots.

The Cincinnati Enquirer of the 14th in its river news mentioned Oscar Jolly, a popular Cincinnati and New Orleans pilot celebrating his birthday, and the notice spoke of the Jolly's all being pilots and alluded to the unusual number of them, there being six pilots in the family. This prompts us to compare, as Paducah can beat it by several, by referring to the Pell family, there being ten pilots all raised in this city, named respectively: Capt. Chas. Pell, Sr., Capt. Chas. Pell, Jr., Capt. Wm. Pell, Capt. Louis Pell, Capt. Allen Pell, Capt. James Pell, Sr., Capt. James Pell, Jr., Capt. "Cuff" Pell, Newton Pell, Capt. Ed Pell.

Cross-Wise Swearing.

Sam George, colored, was charged in the police court today with using insulting language towards Susan Cook. She swore he did, and he swore he didn't. The court warned George before he testified that if he swore falsely he would be arrested for perjury, and the case was left open for additional testimony.

A Toronto syndicate has offered \$1,500,000 for the street railway, electric light and power franchises of Havana now held by the Ferro-Carril-Urbano syndicate.

Dr. Edwards, Ear, Eye, Nose and Throat Specialist, Paducah.

A FRESH LOT

—OF—

NUNNALLY'S CANDY

RECEIVED TODAY.

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1 Pound, 60c.
2 Pounds, \$1.20

See our Decorated Baskets before placing your Christmas order.

McPherson's
A DRUG STORE
4th & Broadway.

REMITTED THE FINE.

A Reputable Man Arrested For Aiding a Friend.

An interesting case in the police court was that against R. J. Wallace, a respected resident of Ballard county, charged with assisting officer Bob Herring. Last night Officers Gourieux and Herring were told that several countrymen were drinking, and were likely to be robbed by a negro following them. The officers found the men just as one of them, Frank Youngblood, fell into the gutter. His friends tried to get him up, but the officers were on the lookout, and got there first. They arrested Youngblood, and when Wallace and others went to take charge of him, Officer Gourieux punched him in the stomach with his club, and told the other officer to take charge of him. Wallace pulled back and was tapped on the head by the other officer.

Youngblood was fined \$1 and costs for drunkenness, and Wallace \$1 and costs for resisting an officer. Judge Sanders stated that he had information from some of the best merchants in the city that Wallace is one of the best known and most reliable citizens of Ballard, and the entire affair seems to have resulted from a mutual misunderstanding. After court, at the instance of Marshal Collins and Prosecuting Attorney Wheeler Campbell, the fine was remitted against Wallace, both officers agreeing that he had no intention of resisting the officers, as he did not know at the time that they were officers.

ELI PERKINS HERE

Stopped Long Enough to Tell a Few Things.

A SHORT STORY ON A SOLDIER

Also What His Little Girl Said to Judge Van Wyck.

HE WENT ON TO MAYFIELD

Mr. Melville D. Landon, better known as "Eli Perkins," one of the best known humorists on the American stage, was in the city this forenoon, a guest at the Palmer. Mr. Perkins is an old newspaper man, having been on some of the largest papers in the United States. He was on his way to Mayfield, where he lectures tonight, Morgantown Saturday night and Louisville Sunday night. When asked if he had seen anything funny in Kentucky he said: "Yes, I came down from Louisville yesterday with a Ken uc soldier who had been in Cuba. When I asked him if he learned anything new there he said: 'Why yes, I learned that a Kentucky boy could be in two places at once.'"

"Two places at once?" I said.

"Yes sir, I was fighting in Cuba and home sick."

Eli told this one on his little girl. One day Judge Van Wyck called at the house and Ethel went to the door.

"Are your father and mother in?" asked the Judge.

"Yes, they are in," said Ethel.

"Are they engaged?"

"Engaged," said Ethel, her great eyes opening wide. "Why they are married!"

Eli left for Mayfield at 2:10 this afternoon.

MURDEROUS CHINESE.

A War of Extermination Against the Christians.

TACOMA, Wash., Dec. 16.—Reports from China by late steamships are that the rebels are murdering Christians on all sides and burning their houses. It is a war of extermination.

Caucus Tonight.

The city council meets tonight in secret caucus at the city hall, in the council chamber, and there will be a great many candidates up late to ascertain the result. Mayor Lang will return this afternoon from his brief, after a two days' absence.

Fiscal Court Called.

The regular December called meeting of fiscal court, to settle with the sheriff and transact other necessary business will begin next Tuesday at the county court house, and Judge Tully has notified all the magistrates to be present.

Washington officials have not yet been able to ascertain the number of Spanish prisoners held by the Filipinos, but estimate it at 5,000. Madrid's estimate is 10,000.

For the Library.

The pupils of St. Mary's academy are giving an entertainment this afternoon at the school building, on North Fifth street, for the library fund.

A Red Cross nurse, just returned from Manila, says that scores of American soldiers are "dying in the hospitals at Manila, just for want of proper nourishment."

Justice Settle Improved.

Justice D. W. Settle, who was attacked by paralysis yesterday at his office, is greatly improved, his many friends will be pleased to learn.

The supply ship Comal has unloaded at Havana one hundred and fifty tons of provisions for free distribution to the north of the Ohio river and east of the Mississippi river, except to points on the M. & O. R. R.

Lowney's Gunther's and Allegretti's famous candles can be had at Stutz's.

OHIO RIVER IMPROVEMENTS

Argument Before the River and Harbor Committee.

\$100,000 HAS BEEN ASKED FOR

Was Said to Be "Nothin' But Crick Straightening."

IT IS SEVERELY CRITICISED.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Col. J. L. Vance, chairman of the Ohio river improvement committee, made a strong argument before the river and harbor committee in favor of an appropriation of \$100,000 for a preliminary survey of the Ohio river from Marietta to Cairo. If the improvements contemplated should be made, it would be the largest ever attempted on inland rivers.

A late member of the committee referred to the work contemptuously as a matter of "crick straightening."

"All right," said the middle west man. Mr. Burton, as chairman of the river and harbor committee, may want to fix it so that the lakes can get all the money they want. New York is trying to ravish the committee for \$5,000,000 for a 35-foot channel from the battery to the sea. If these interests expect attention from inland congressmen, we will see that they treat our crick straightening job with proper respect."

HANNA BRIBERY CHARGE

Disavowed by the Senate and Then Referred.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The senate today discussed the bribery charge preferred against Mr. Hanna, by the Ohio legislature, and referred the matter to a sub-committee.

CLAIM OF BRIBERY

Startling Testimony in the Collins Murder Trial.

A Witness For the Defense Testified Falsely.

BLACK EYE FOR THE DEFENSE

TOEPLER, Kan., Dec. 16.—Ella Buchanan, the negro girl, one of the main props of the defense in the John Henry Collins murder trial, who swore Tuesday that she saw a man climbing over a shed roof out of an upstairs window of the Collins home just after the murder, confessed this morning to the judge and jury in open court, that her testimony was false in every particular, and that she had been bribed to commit perjury. The confession seems to have shattered the whole plan and theory of the defense.

The prisoner, Collins, took the witness stand this morning, greatly to the surprise of the prosecution and the spectators. While he told his story he remained perfectly cool, speaking in a low, musical voice and without hesitation. He claimed that on account of financial embarrassment he gave Johnson Jordan and Jess Harper money with which to gamble, believing that the winnings would be sufficient to relieve his condition. His watch and his diamond went the same way. The authorship of the damaging letters was admitted by Collins and he explained that they referred to gambling arrangement.

"Joseph, the Dreamer."

Divine service will be held at Temple Israel this evening at 7:30. Rabbi H. G. Enejo will deliver a discourse on "Joseph the Dreamer." The temple will be comfortably heated. All are invited to attend.

Petition in Bankruptcy.

T. A. Hopper, of Calvert City, this afternoon filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States court here. His liabilities are not stated.

Matinee 15 and 25 Cents.

Burk's Uncle Tom Cabin company will give a ladies and children's matinee at the opera house tomorrow at 2:30. Admission: Children, 15c; adults, 25c. A free street parade will be given tomorrow at noon.

Holiday Excursion Rates.

For the Christmas and New Year holidays, the Illinois Central Railroad company will sell round trip tickets to all points on its southern lines and to all points on the St. Louis division, and to all points on the Y. & M. V. R. R., at one and one-third fare. Tickets to be sold Dec. 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 30th and 31st, 1898, and Jan. 1st and 2nd, 1899, good to return until Jan. 4th. Tickets will also be sold to various other points on the north of the Ohio river and east of the Mississippi river, except to points on the M. & O. R. R.

A nice line of pocket knives for Christmas at Hank Bros. & Jones, 1403.

GRAND JURY AFTER THEM

Some Sensations to Be Sifted By Them.

The grand jury has about finished its investigation of jail cases, and has begun the investigation of outside cases. Many sensational matters will be sifted to the bottom, and many witnesses have been summoned to appear before the grand jury. One witness came near getting into trouble. He did not want to tell what he knew, and the jury sent for him and asked him to change his statement and avoid trouble. The young man did so.

The questionable resorts in the city will all receive attention from that body. Some of the sports will likely make themselves scarce until after the jury adjourns, now that the body has time to devote to them.

The grand jury this morning made the following report of indictments: Mollie Nier, Mollie Groom, Fannie Hart, Vic Ballou, Ida French, Maud Bell, Florence Patton, Pearl Wilson, and Annie Cox, keeping bawdy houses; Fannie Hart, selling liquor without a license; Dave Johnson and George Dennis, grand larceny. The case against Will Childers, for obtaining supper by false pretenses, was dismissed.

A START FOR HOME

American Peace Commission Will Leave Tonight.

Spain is Playing Another Game of Delay.

QUIETING DOWN AT MANILA

PARIS, Dec. 16.—The American peace commissioners will leave for home tonight.

MADRID, Dec. 16.—Spain is trying to delay the cession of the colonies until the American senate ratifies the treaty.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—News from Manila says that a more conciliatory spirit prevails among the Filipinos and the indications are for an early termination of strife.

CAPT. RYMAN'S NEW BOAT.

She is Expected Down on Her Way to Nashville.

The "James B. Richardson," Capt. Thomas G. Ryman's new boat, just completed at Howard's shipyard, Nashville, is expected down today, en route to Nashville, where she will enter the Cumberland river trade.

Capt. Ryman, who has built about twenty boats at Howard's, and most of all of them were for the Cumberland river trade, is very proud of the new steamer, and named her after one of Nashville's best known citizens. The new boat is 165 feet long, 31 feet beam, four and one-half feet hold, and has a full-length cabin and texas for the officers. She has two steel boilers, each 44 inches in diameter, 20 feet long with 10 6-inch flues in each. Her engines are 14-inch cylinders and four and one-half feet stroke.

ICE SOFTENING UP.

Navigation Will Start Up Again on Monday.

Navigation is practically suspended on the Ohio from one end to the other, but it will be resumed Monday, unless there is a cold wave of unexpected proportions started. Yesterday all the boats moving on it were hunting for harbors, but the ice is now softening up, and by Monday will not be dangerous to the craft. The ice was never thick, but was hard, and fortunately formed no blockade.

WILL HODGE ACQUITTED.

The Shooting of Will Smith Was Accidental.

The case against Will Hodge, colored, charged with maliciously shooting Will Smith, was tried in the police court this morning, the evidence showing that Smith was shot accidentally. He has been in the hospital since November 8. He was shot at the barber shop, 110 Broadway, and Hodge claimed that the pistol was handed him by another man, and went off accidentally. The two men had been good friends for two years, and no trouble of any kind had ever taken place between them. Hodge was acquitted, and was asked by the court to ascertain the name of the man who gave him the pistol, as he had it concealed, and the court desired to prosecute him.

COAL FOR THE POOR.

Bernheim Brothers Sent Their Usual Donation.

An order was today received from Bernheim Bros., Louisville, by the Central Coal and Iron company, for 1,500 bushels of coal, to be given to the poor of the city.

The coal is at the disposition of the mayor, who will assign a portion of it to the New Howards, and will distribute the remainder as he sees best. Bernheim Bros., for several years have about Christmas sent from one to two thousand bushels of coal to the poor of Paducah, and this year they sent 600 bushels more than last.

Go to Stutz for candles.

THE TERMS OF PEACE

Substance of the 17 Articles of the Agreement.

NO COMMERCIAL ARRANGEMENT

This Feature Will Come Along in Time.

THE TREATY AS IT STANDS

PARIS, Dec. 16.—Notwithstanding the attempts to keep the contents of the peace treaty entirely secret, the following is known to be the substance of the 17 articles of the agreement:

Article 1 provides for the relinquishment of Cuba.

Article 2 provides for the cession of Porto Rico.

Article 3 provides for the cession of the Philippines for \$20,000,000 as compensation.

Article 4 embraces the plans for the cession of the Philippines, including the return of Spanish prisoners in the hands of the Tagalos.

Article 5 deals with the cession of barracks, war materials, arms, stores, buildings and all property pertaining to the Spanish administration in the Philippines.

Article 6 is a renunciation by both nations of their respective claims against each other and the citizens of each other.

Article 7 grants to Spanish trade and shipping in the Philippines the same treatment as American trade and shipping for a period of ten years.

Article 8 provides for the release of all prisoners of war held by Spain and of all prisoners held by her for political offenses committed in the colonies acquired by the United States.

Article 9 guarantees the legal rights of Spaniards remaining in Cuba.

Article 10 establishes the religious freedom of the Philippines and guarantees to all churches equal rights.

Article 11 provides for the composition of courts and other tribunals in Porto Rico and Cuba.

Article 12 provides for the administration of justice in Porto Rico and Cuba.

Article 13 provides for the continuance for five years of Spanish copyrights in the ceded territories, giving Spanish books admittance free of duty.

Article 14 provides for the establishment of consulates by Spain in the ceded territories.

Article 15 grants to Spanish commerce in Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines the same treatment as to American for ten years. Spanish shipping to be treated as coasting vessels.

Article 16 stipulates that the obligations of the United States to Spanish citizens and property in Cuba shall terminate with the withdrawal of the United States authorities from the island.

Article 17 provides that the treaty must be ratified within six months from the date of signing by the respective governments in order to be binding.

For some time to come the United States and Spain must get along without any treaty to regulate commerce between the two countries. An effort was made to secure an arrangement with the Spanish commissioners looking to the revival of the old treaties until they could be replaced by others, but this having failed, no negotiations for new commercial treaties will be undertaken before ratification of the peace treaty.

Interesting Meeting.

The Elks met last night and artistically adorned the horns on the head of Mr. Will E. Grigsby, the well known young insurance man. There are several others to be initiated at the next meeting.

Slander Suit Filed.

A slander suit growing out of a neighboring quarrel over pigs was filed yesterday afternoon in the circuit court. The plaintiff is G. W. Bream and the defendants W. R. Jones and wife, of the Clark's river section. The woman in the case is alleged to have called the plaintiff a "hog thief," "a sheep thief," and to have alleged that he had been in the penitentiary. He asks damages in the sum of \$10,000.

Ordered to Leave.

Thomas Adams, a white tramp who had been very annoying about the city beggar, was charged in the police court today with vagrancy. He said he came from Christian county, Ill., arriving yesterday. The officers knew that he came here several days ago. He was told by the court to get out of town as soon as possible. He went.

Dr. Werner to Marry.

The marriage of Dr. Wallace Werner, of Soule's drug store, to Miss Anna Cassidy, a popular young lady of Murphysboro, Ill., his old home, is announced to take place on December 22, at Murphysboro. Dr. Werner and bride will reside in the city.

Havana is Under Strict Military Rule

and no further outbreaks have occurred.



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Men's pure white linen hemstitched, hand embroidered initial handkerchiefs, half dozen in a fancy box, for \$1.50 box.
Ladies' sheer lawn handkerchiefs 5c and 10c.
Pure linen and embroidered Swiss handkerchiefs 15c.
Fine cambric hemstitched, embroidered and lace edged handkerchiefs 25c.
Beautiful linen cambric handkerchiefs, put up in artistic boxes, 50c to \$1.50.

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Hemstitched Damask towels 25c. each.
Natural wood handles, 26 inch gloria silk umbrellas 98 cents.
Sterling silver pocket knives, suitable gifts for the men, \$1.00.
Handsome jewel belt buckles, 25c. to \$1.50.
A pair of the best kid gloves made for man or woman, \$1.00 a pair.

SHOES! SHOES!!

Read us over and see how far you can make your Christmas money go. Why spend for trifles when the same amount invested in articles of use for Christmas gifts convey the same sentiment and more highly appreciated by recipient.
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\$1 buys woman's Felt Fur-top Slippers.
\$1 buys woman's White Satin Slippers.
\$1.25 buys woman's Felt Juliet Leather Tipped, Fur Lined.
\$1.25 and \$1.50 buys elegant slipper for men.
\$1.50 buys man's Velvet or Leather Slipper.
\$2. See our woman's French Heel, Patent Leather Slipper.
\$1. and \$1.50 buys woman's Felt Upper, Leather Bottom, for mothers.
MEN'S DEPARTMENT.
\$2. buys the shoe you usually pay \$2.50 for.
\$3. you usually pay \$3.50 for—all styles.
CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT.
50c buys Boy's Box Calf shoe, solid, 5 to 8.
65c buys Boy's Box Calf shoe, solid, 8 to 11.
50c buys Boy's Kid shoe, solid, 5 to 8.
75c buys Boy's Kid shoe, solid, 9 to 11.
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FRIDAY, DEC. 16, 1898.

Having contributed a share to the maw of the police court fee machine, The Sun is entitled to say something about that system of grab.

The house passed the pension bill in 20 minutes. Think of that. And no spread speeches, either. In truth the bloody short days are over.

A large number of democratic papers of the state are still undecided whether the Louisville Courier-Journal's attention to Col. Castleman are honorable.

Senator Vest is inclined to begin with the expansion end of the United States and reform everything down to the narrow limits of Col. Bryan's military lockjaw.

The worries of the average woman are just now divided between what she is going to get for her husband for Christmas and what he is going to get for her.

Through The Sun Paducah's merchants tell the people that there is no need of sending away for Christmas gifts. Everything that anybody ought to have can be had here.

According to the terms of Paducah's police court law, the man who defends himself from an assault is expected to pay a fine and accompany it with a vote of thanks for being alive.

What is the name of the councilman who missed that snug sum of \$10,000 by reason of the bond deal falling through? This charge has been made by the News. Let us have the proof.

If the law had not been changed by far seeing councilmen who knew their business, there would be no question as to who would be city printer. Unquestionably the council was afraid to risk it, and is still afraid to re-enact the old law. The Sun is willing to count copies and will not throw dry paper on the press to run up the number as has been done by others.

The money spent on streets by the 1897 council left some good results, but we have the authority of the mayor himself in his famous report that no one can find the good effects of money expended by the council of 1898. Common report has it that every load of gravel put on the streets of Paducah has cost \$3 each, when the expense should have been no more than 75 cents. We know that it is hardly that bad but it is bad enough.

Judge Sanders, of the police court, talked earnestly yesterday of the need for a law to hold editors responsible for all they may write and print about politicians and others. If Judge Sanders will take a dive through the libel laws of the state he will find there all he suggested and more too.

The Kentucky libel laws hold editors to account both criminally and civilly for every falsehood uttered about any man. He may be sent to jail and be mulcted for heavy monetary damages for one offense. The laws against murder, arson and attacks on women are by no means as severe as the statutes relating to libel. Every man mangled or misrepresented in print has ample legal recourse in Kentucky.

The preceding city council refunded bonds at 44 per cent. when the country was laboring under the greatest business depression in its history and when money on call was 5 and 6 per cent. in New York. The present council did manage to refund some at 44 per cent. when business had been stimulated by prosperity and call money was 24 and 3 per cent. At the same time New York city floated bonds at 3 per cent. and reaped a premium of 4 per cent. making its rate 27-10 per cent., receiving at these figures fifteen times more bids than bonds. The Paducah council can hardly find boosting material in this little refund flourish of one-fourth of one per cent. especially when by one act of repudiation it made a damaging attack on the city's credit.

The securing of a brewery and a ginning factory in as short a time after the establishment of the Commercial and Manufacturers' association and through the efforts of that organization argues well for the association and calls for the hearty support of every enterprising citizen. Merchants and all others interested in the progress and prosperity of Paducah and who by oversight have not yet identified themselves with this organization ought to hesitate no longer about taking a hand in the energetic looking to the general welfare of the city. The duty should not devolve upon sixty men, to push the city when the benefits to all have been demonstrated so early in the life of the association. In addition to putting up their money, the present

members have evidenced their interest and enthusiasm by attending meetings and devoting their time to the good of the club. The association should have 200 paying members in a pushing city of the size of Paducah. If you are not a member send in your name at once.

Mockery of Justice.
A deplorable feature of the injustice of the so-called courts of justice comes from St. Louis. It reminds the public that the bench of this country needs more attention from the public—the election of men of substantial character and with ideas above questionable influence or sentiment.

Catharine Campbell, an actress, stole table linen, dishes, silverware, etc., from a fashionable St. Louis hotel. The product of her peculations was found packed in her trunk. Some of the goods were wrapped and addressed to Miss Campbell's mother in Indianapolis. There will be no prosecution of Miss Campbell on the charge of stealing all these things. Pressure was brought to bear in certain quarters and the woman was released. Instead of affording a study of a criminal nature it has been termed a study in psychology. The theory of kleptomania has been advanced and neurologists have said that Miss Campbell's mind has been unbalanced by over work. Miss Campbell has had more than ordinary advantages. She possesses a superior education, and has had every luxury. Her income was, \$100 a week salary besides she owns valuable real estate in Indianapolis, where her home is.

Minnie Kline was a poor servant girl. She wore neither silks nor satins. She stole a diamond from her employer and was arrested, tried, and convicted and served a two years' sentence in the penitentiary at Jefferson City. This unfortunate and misguided girl came from a family of poor, but hardworking and respectable Germans in Randolph county, Illinois. She went to St. Louis and was ignorant of its ways. She did an honest day's work for every cent she received. Her hands were red and rough. She was not educated and she spoke with a decided accent. In an unguarded moment she took a diamond from her mistress' collection. The law was vindicated. She had committed a simple theft—not continuously larceny as in the case of Miss Campbell.

This feature is not confined to the courts of St. Louis. We have the same favoritism and discrimination all around us. Until there is a change in the judiciary, laws will continue to be a mockery and mobs will have cause to exist.

Judge Parker, of Lexington, holds that when a borrowing stockholder of a building and loan association pleads usury against his association, or after a settlement with the association brings suit for usury paid, the association has the right to compel the borrower to pay his proper proportion of all the losses and expenses of the association while he remained a member of it, and that in cases of this kind the association had the right to deduct from payments on dues the proper proportion of its losses and expenses chargeable to the borrowing member before crediting these payments on dues upon his loan. In all purely mutual associations the result of this decision will be to wipe out the benefits of the plea of usury. It will be impossible for the borrowing stockholder, by his plea of usury, to put the whole losses and expenses upon the investors. There is often as much injustice done under the plea of usury imposed as by the user himself. This decision reaches a proper point.

Calvin S. Brice, who died yesterday, first gained national recognition by building a competing road with the Vanderbilt system from New York to Buffalo, as a speculative enterprise. He succeeded in unloading this property on the Vanderbilt system and retired from that contest a gainer by millions. Thereafter he entered Ohio politics and became conspicuous because of his powers of organization and great wealth. Although he had a residence in New York, he presumed on his birth in Ohio, and through influence that too often operate in legislatures not to their credit, he was elected United States senator from that state. But his was a dress parade election and he served but one term.

When the republican council went out, the city treasury had a balance of \$11,657.52. The tax collector who had been kind enough to the incoming democratic administration to hold back his report then added in December and January some \$30,000, making in all \$41,657.52. In addition to this sum the new council was the beneficiary of the \$6,000 back bank tax which had been tied up by litigation. With that good surplus the democratic administration ought to make a good showing, but it doesn't.

Narrowed down to facts it is found that all this noise in Chicago about a renewal of the street car franchises has not been created by reformers who have designs on saving tax payers and citizens from loggins, but is backed by schemers who have selfish plans of their own. The noisy professional reformer who thrives on local politics will not stand the search light of investigation.

Paducah needs more business houses. The absence of homes for new enterprises acts as a Chinese wall against the growth and prosperity of the city.



Will you —?
Well, I guess I will
why, that's **Battle-Ax PLUG**

never knew any one in this State to refuse a chew of Battle-Ax. It beats all how popular that tobacco has become in the last three years. It's the largest and best piece of tobacco ever sold for 10 cents.

Remember the name when you buy again.

The opportunity is at hand; all that remains to be done is to utilize the resources that surround and abide with us.

Governor Leady has called a special session of the Kansas legislature to pass proposed populist measures. It is to be the death rattle of a corrupt and damaging reign of cranks in a state that deserves a better fate.

DEALS IN REAL ESTATE.
Deeds of Transfer Filed for Record.

Among the deeds for the transfer of real estate filed for record this week were:

Pioneer Building and Loan association to Charles L. Burnett, lot 800, Black Oak to N. A. Thomason, lot on Fountain avenue, \$300.

Sarah F. Agnew to Robt. Agnew, lot on South Fourth street, \$399.28. Geo. Mayer to Sam Leibel, farm in the county, \$1,035.

Geo. W. Harris to Blanche C. Keiler, lot on Broadway, \$700. Geo. Bernard to A. H. Ross, property in Mechanicsburg, \$400.

M. E. Goodman and Sam Goodman, to Susie Rivers Nelson, property on South Fourth street, \$1,800.

Georgia A. Eley to Allie B. Cowgill, property at Ninth and Monroe streets, \$1,750.

City of Paducah and county of McCracken to Georgia A. Eley, property at Eighth and Monroe streets, \$392.31.

Ed H. Puryear to Sue and Emma Atchinson, lot \$509.99.

Master Commissioner to Blanche C. Keiler, property near Seventh and Clark streets, \$1,075.

Master Commissioner to John W. McKnight, property in the county, \$2,001.

Master Commissioner to J. Beth-shares, lot on South Seventh street, \$580.

Master Commissioner to Samuel Reeb, property on Seventh street, \$615.

Master Commissioner to J. W. Baker, property on South Seventh street, \$1,390.

The house has refused to take up the Lodge immigration bill.

WOMAN UNDER HIS BED.

The Unexpected Discovery Made by a Lone Bachelor.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Emil Marx, a lone bachelor, looked under his bed this morning and there found a woman, a professional burglar. Mr. Marx did not realize that he had a woman to deal with. So he armed himself with a stout club and exclaimed: "Come out from there!"

"I will," answered a shrill voice. "I will, if you don't hit me with that stick!" Mr. Marx, much surprised, said he would not, and the burglar crawled out, feet first, looking very sheepish. In her arms she still clasped a bundle of \$34 worth of Mr. Marx's clothes. When afterwards her pockets were searched, 17 keys of all shapes and sizes, twisted wire and burglar's small implements were found in her pockets. The woman was Mrs. Pauline Umbekant.

Holiday Excursion Rates.

For the Christmas and New Year holidays, the Illinois Central Railroad company will sell round trip tickets to all points on its southern lines and to all points on the St. Louis division, and to all points on the Y. & M. V. R'y., at one and one-third fare. Tickets to be sold Dec. 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 30th and 31st, 1898, and Jan. 1st and 2nd, 1899, good to return until Jan. 4th. Tickets will also be sold to various other points on and north of the Ohio river and east of the Mississippi river, except to points on the M. & O. R. R. J. T. DONOVAN, Agent.

Grand Jury Indictments.

The grand jury returned the following indictments: R. M. Dennis, receiving stolen goods; G. W. Woolfolk, petty larceny; Dock Hatfield, grand larceny; Will Doyle, perjury; John Dunlap, petty larceny; Bud Tomlin, breach of the peace; James Scott, house breaking; and Burley Dixon, obtaining money by false pretenses.

Skates! Skates!

A large lot at Hank Bros. & Jones, 1643

YOUR DAILY DRIVE

will be much more pleasant if your colt's feet are properly predioured and his hoofs comfortably shod at our horse-shoeing parlors.

WE HAVE MEN

to shoe the horses and boys to shoe the files, and we exercise particular care with

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FIRE AND TORNADO INSURANCE

MISS MARY GREIF RETAINS AN INTEREST IN THE BUSINESS. 100 Broadway. PADUCAH, KY.

Christmas Bargains at Dorian's

Here's an ad. that will add to your savings; it will show you just what we can do at cutting the prices on all things, from a necktie right down to a shoe. It would please us to give you our figures on everything sold in our store; we know our prices would catch you and hold fast your trade evermore. But space in the Press of the Period is precious, we're happy to state; only few can afford to procure much—it's mostly reserved for "plate." We can name but a few of the good things in store for the holiday trade, but a call is sure to convince you, a visit is amply repaid. Now we'll "dot down" a few of our "catchers" and stop every effort at rhyme; we're sure they will fetch the shrewd watchers for bargains at Christmas time.

DRESS-SKIRTS.—We are making new worsted dress skirts to order, at \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75; fine cashmere and serge dress skirts to order, \$2, \$2.50, \$3 and up; Handsome Broadcloth and Celine Luster Dress Skirts to Order, \$5 to \$6.75; these skirts are made by first-class dress makers; we guarantee an elegant fit. We have a fine assortment of Eastern-made dress skirts from 95c to \$4.75. See our exquisite silk shirt waists; we make them to measure at \$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50; these are trade winners. **LADIES' CAPES.**—We have real "soft snaps" in capes from "six bits" to six dollars. **BLANKETS AND COMFORTS.**—We have "bale on bale and heap on heap" of blankets and comforts; they are going quickly, too, at our prices; comforts 50c, 75c and up; blankets from 50c a pair to \$4.75; every one likes them. **LADIES' and MEN'S SHOES.**—Misses' and Children's Shoes—Most everybody wears shoes, very many people wear Dorian's shoes, they all praise their beauty and durability; we have ladies' shoes, in lace and button, from 95c to \$3; our men's shoes for \$1.10 to \$3 fit all sorts of feet and financial conditions. **LADIES' and MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS** is a leading line with us; ladies' undersuits, a union or otherwise, 45c to \$1.75; men's undersuits from 50c to \$2.50. Our stock of shirts is "all right," from 25c up to \$1.75. Our Fast Black Hose and Rockford Sox at 3 cents a pair astonish and tickle everybody. We encourage home industry by handling home made goods. We sell the Dixie shirts and overalls, all sizes. Nothing better on earth for the money. Our Smyrna, Turkish and Moquet Rugs and fancy Persian Table Covers make Handsome Christmas Gifts. We bought them cheap, we will sell them cheaper still. Just received from the factory a case of elegant silk umbrellas, all sizes, latest style handles; they are genuine, and are very desirable holiday offerings. It is money in your pocket to get your umbrellas from us. Our styles in everything are up to the minute and our customers are our best advertisers. Our Beautiful FREE PICTURES in Elegant Frames are the delight and admiration of thousands. Let every family secure one of these as a Christmas gift from us. We request everybody to attend this great holiday sale. It is a money saver to the people. We shall appreciate a call.

JOHN J. DORIAN, 205 Broadway, Paducah, Ky.

A Cold Winter IS PREDICTED!

We are prepared to do the very best repair work for the coming winter. Have your plumbing so arranged that it will not freeze. If we do the work we guarantee it not to freeze—we will keep it in repair free of charge all winter should it do so. We make steam and hot water heating a specialty.

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Have it done by THE CHINESE 102 Broadway. Clothes called for and returned promptly.

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PENSIONS!

WAR CLAIMS!

Interest paid on time deposits. A general banking business transacted. Depositors given every accommodation. Their accounts and responsibility insured.

Some Great Holiday Attractions!

The greatest inducements ever offered in the way of purchasing your Christmas presents at half price. Your dollar will do double service, or the worth of two, this week at The Bazaar. Our store is filled with everything in the line of useful Christmas presents, and at the prices at which we are offering them, your Christmas purchases cannot fail to be made very easy.

What 25c will purchase this week at the Bazaar:
All our fine 50c pocket books 25c.
All our fine 50c silk handkerchiefs 25c.
All our fine triple extract 50c per-fumes 25c.
All our fine 50c white and colored silk baby caps 25c.
All our fine 50c Saxony double fancy top mittens 25c.
All our 50c fancy plaid hose 25c.
All our 50c ladies' corsets 25c.
All our fine silk fancy garters, 50c quality, 25c.
Hundreds of other useful articles, too numerous to mention.

Flannel waists, silk waists and satin waists at just half of regular prices for this week. Every conceivable style, make and shade, at \$1.50, 1.75 and 2.98. They must be seen to be appreciated.

300 styles of dress skirts to pick from, every color you can think of, every material, every pattern and every style, ranging in price from 98c to \$10.

All our very fine plain black satin skirts, former price \$8.50, now \$4.48.
Bargains in collars, collarettes and capes at just half regular prices.

THE BAZAAR!

215 BROADWAY 215

Prize Sale for Next 10 Days

The special sale at the Kentucky Glass and Queensware Co.'s at No. 117 North Third street, opening on Thursday, December 15, and continuing for 10 days, will bring to the short purse long purchases. We want everybody to attend and participate in the sale of holiday goods by retail at wholesale prices, and even less than wholesale on a great many items.

Our line of Fancy Lamps is entirely new. Look at these prices:
Hand lamps, complete, worth 15 cents, for 8 cents each.
Patent dented collar stand lamps, complete, worth 25c, for 12c each.
Three colors in fancy night lamps, well worth 30c, for 18c each.
7-in. shade lamps, fancy colors, complete, worth 75c, for 55c each.
This is no fake. Sounds like it, don't it?
Pink, canary and blue 7 1/2 inch shade lamps, worth \$1.10, for 70c each.
Beautiful parlor lamp, 8 inch globe, worth \$1.10, for 70c each.
Richly colored parlor lamp, 7 inch shade, usually sold at \$1.25, for 90c.
Tall banquet lamps, rich decorations, with either globe or shade, worth \$1.75, your choice for \$1.25 each.
The handsomest of all. A 9 inch globe, removable fount, center draft, No. 2 burner, worth \$4.50, for \$3.
Hall and swinging lamps in variety; less than wholesale prices. See them.
Large line of children's china mugs. Shave mugs, too, for 10c each, worth 20c.
Ladies' souvenir cups and saucers at 10 cents each.
Men's mustache cups and saucers, worth 25c to 35c, at 15c each.
Child's china cup, saucer and plate sets, worth 30c to 40c, at 18c set.
Big line of dolls at price prices.
17 inch kid body dolls, bisque heads, worth 75c, for 55c each.
18 inch kid body dolls, bisque heads, worth \$1.25, for 85c each.
23 inch kid body dolls, large, handsome, worth \$1.75, for \$1.25 each.
35 dinner set decorations; come and see. 30 chamber set decorations, to close out.

A wholesale-retail clearing up of china goods, ornaments, children's tea sets is desired. Money no object. We want to get these goods out of the way. It is demoralizing to competitors, but it is good for you. Cash or no sale. You can't miss the place.

KENTUCKY GLASS & QUEENSWARE CO.

AT NO. 117 NORTH THIRD STREET.

Dalton, The Tailor.

Should Have Your Patronage, for Three Reasons...

FIRST... He guarantees a perfect fit.
SECOND... He does all his work with home labor.
THIRD... He will sell you a suit of clothes made to order
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Guaranteed equal to Pittsburg coal. Price delivered, lump, 8c; nut, 7c bushel. Cash price at elevator, lump 7c; nut 6c. No shoveling; coal passes over screens into wagon.
Phone 254. Office at Elevator.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Weather indications are: Rain to-night; warmer Saturday.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Mr. A. B. Coll, of Frankfort, is at the Palmer.
Mr. A. E. Wright, of Louisville, is at the Palmer.
Mr. S. T. Payne, of Ogden's Landing, is in the city.
Mrs. Geo. C. Thompson has gone to Kansas City on a visit.
Mr. Winthrop Coffin, of Boston, is in the city on business.
W. A. Bogard, of Canton, Ky., is at the New Richmond.
Mrs. J. W. Hubbard has returned from Dresden, Tenn.
Mr. W. H. Kleke, of Ballard county, was in the city today.
Supt. W. J. Harahan, of the Illinois Central, is in the city.
Attorney W. M. English, of Calvert City, is in the city.
Attorney Mike Oliver, of Benton, is in the city on business.
Mr. Brack Owen went up to Eddyville this morning on business.
Mrs. E. A. Gray, of Princeton, is visiting her son, Officer Jim Gray.
Councilman S. H. Winstead and family have returned from Chicago.
County Clerk Chas. Graham is confined to his home today from illness.
Mrs. Campbell Flournoy has returned to her home in Fulton, after a brief visit.
Mrs. Dewitt C. Newman and daughter, of Jackson, Tenn., are guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Lyon.
Mr. W. Chesterfield, of Milan, Tenn., who is to locate a millinery factory, arrived last night, and is at the Palmer.
Mr. Wallis Davis, of Metropolis, was in the city today inviting his friends to Metropolis on the 28th to attend a dance to be given there. About forty have received invitations in this city, and the crowd that will accept will doubtless be large.

NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

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MARKET REPORT.			
Reported by S. Livingston, Grain Dealer.			
December 16, —			
	Open	High	Close
Wheat—			
Dec.	66.2	66.7 1/2	66.5
May	67.1	68.3 1/2	67.6
Corn—			
Dec.	33.7	34.4	34.2 1/2
May	35.0	35.4	35.0 1/2
Oats—			
Dec.	26.5 1/2	26.5 1/2	26.3
May	26.7	27.0	26.6 1/2
Pork—			
Dec.	8.15	8.15	8.05 1/2
Jan.	9.35	9.42	9.35
May	9.62	9.70	9.62
Lard—			
May	5.32	5.37	5.32
Jan.	5.17 1/2	5.17 1/2	5.10
Ribs—			
May	4.87	4.87	4.82 1/2
Dec.	4.70	4.70	4.65 1/2
Putts—67 1/2.			
Calts—68 1/2.			
Northwestern receipts—945.			
L. & N. stock—64 1/2.			
Sugar Stock—\$1.24 1/2.			
Am. Tobacco stock—\$1.41 1/2.			

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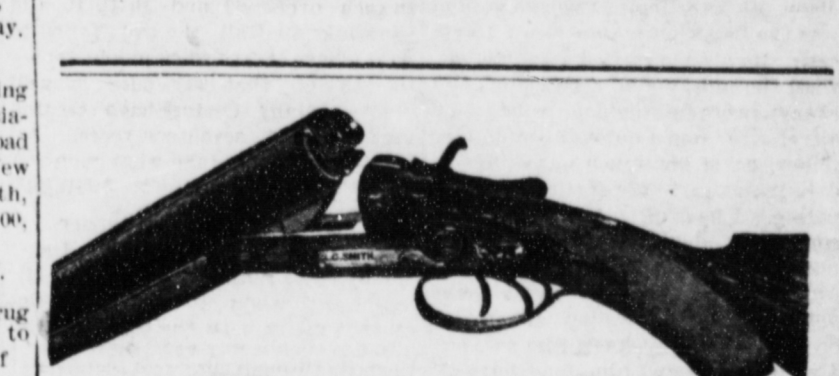
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Screened Lump, 8c; Egg, 8c; Nut, 7c; A1 sizes Anthracite, \$7.50 per ton. Clippings, 4c per bundle.

We will take care of our customers, so send us your orders. SPOT CASH. Telephone 70

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A thoroughly equipped Book-making plant. You need send nothing out of town. Patent Flat-Opening Books BROADWAY

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Cut Glass, Ornaments, Graphophones, Kodaks.

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